



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : Confirmation No. 6935
Johe IKEDA et al. : Docket No. 2001_0515A
Serial No. 09/830,338 : Group Art Unit 1642
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MONOCLONAL ANTIBODIES AGAINST HUMAN
APOPTOSIS INHIBITORY PROTEIN NAIP AND
METHOD FOR ASSAYING THE NAIP

AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents,
Washington, D.C.

Sir:

Responsive to the Official Action dated October 1, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Cancel without prejudice claims 5-11.